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SUBJ: SPANISH RESTRICTIONS ON FOREIGN FILMS

REF: (A) STATE 80873, (B) PARIS 10148, (C) MADRID 3246

1. AMBASSADOR RAISED QUESTION OF SPANISH TAX ON
DUBBED FOREIGN FILMS WITH GOS PERMREP TO OECD
(VALLAURE) AND, AT LATTER'S REQUEST, PROVIDED HIM
WITH MEMORANDUM, GEARED TO SPAIN'S OBLIGATIONS UNDER
OECD CODE OF LIBERALISATION OF CURRENT INVISIBLE
OPERATIONS, WHICH HE WILL SEND TO MADRID. COPIES
OF MEMORANDUM BEING SENT DEPARTMENT/RPE (GELBARD)
AND ECON COUNSELOR, EMBASSY MADRID.

2. US MEMBER OF INVISIBLES COMMITTEE ALSO RAISED
ISSUE WITH HEAD OF SPANISH DELEGATION TO IC'S
EXAMINATION ON APRIL 3 OF SPAIN'S RESERVATIONS TO
CAPITAL MOVEMENTS CODE (E. PUIG-ROJAS, DIRECTOR
GENERAL, EXTERIOR TRANSACTIONS, MINISTRY OF
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COMMERCE).

3. GOS REPS LISTENED SYMPATHETICALLY BUT WERE NON-
COMMITAL GIVEN POTENTIALLY CRUCIAL ROLE OF CULTURAL
MINISTRY. COMMENT: WHILE THEY URGED THAT DEMARCHE
BE MADE TO CULTURAL MINISTRY, US FILM INDUSTRY REP
(GRONICH) FEELS THAT FOREIGN AND FINANCE MINISTERIES

ARE MUCH MORE SENSITIVE TO SPAIN'S SELF-INTEREST IN
PROMOTING BETTER ECONOMIC RELATIONS WITH ITS TRADING
PARTNERS.
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